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**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**LS 6226**

**BILL NUMBER:** HB 1059

**DATE PREPARED:** Nov 19, 2000

**BILL AMENDED:**

**SUBJECT:** Solid Waste Fees Charged to Municipalities.

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**FUNDS AFFECTED:**      **GENERAL  
DEDICATED  
FEDERAL**

**IMPACT:** Local

**Summary of Legislation:** This bill permits the district solid waste management board in a district in which a solid waste landfill is located to impose fees on a municipality in the district that disposes of collected solid waste at a location outside the district. The bill establishes the maximum amount of the fees and the manner of payment. It permits the district to impose a penalty for noncompliance.

**Effective Date:** July 1, 2001.

**Explanation of State Expenditures:**

**Explanation of State Revenues:**

**Explanation of Local Expenditures:** Certain municipalities may be subject to fees and penalties imposed by a solid waste management district. See below.

**Explanation of Local Revenues:** Solid waste management districts in a district in which a landfill is located may impose fees and penalties on municipalities that dispose of waste outside the district. This provision will result in additional revenue to the district. The amount of the fees imposed may not exceed the amount of fees to which the collected solid waste would be subject if the municipality disposed of the collected solid waste in a solid waste landfill located in the district. Penalties may not exceed \$500 per day. The specific impact is indeterminable. Fees and penalties collected are to be deposited in the district solid waste management fund.

Sixty-two solid waste districts exist in Indiana. Ten districts consist of more than one county while 52 are single county districts. In 1999, 20 districts received \$2,097,635 in local option revenue. The total statewide levy for all districts was \$12,142,304.

**State Agencies Affected:**

**Local Agencies Affected:** Certain solid waste management districts and municipalities.

**Information Sources:**